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SUBJECT: 11 AUG INTERVIEW WITH GIAKA

1. LATE AFTERNOON OF 11 AUG, LIBYAN WALK-IN 'ABD AL-MAJID ((GIAKA)) RETURNED TO [REDACTED] WITH HIS MALTESE TANSULATOR [REDACTED] DURING THE THREE HOUR INTERVIEW, C/O [REDACTED] TOLD GIAKA THAT [REDACTED] WAS EXTREMELY INTERESTED IN HIS INFORMATION, WANTED TO ASSIST HIM BUT COULD NOT ACTIUPON HIS REQUEST BY 12 AUGUST. GIAKA RESPONDED THAT HE HAD ANTICIPATED SUCH A REPLY AND HAD DECIDED OVERNIGHT THAT HE WOULD RETURN TO LIBYA AS INSTRUCTED ON 12 AUG. ASSUMING THAT HE IS ACQUITTED OF ANY WRONGDOING FOR HIS ROLE IN THE AIRPORT FIASCO AND HE IS ABLE TO RETURN TO MALTA, HE VOLUNTEERED TO WORK FOR [REDACTED] ON A SECRET BASIS. HE REACHED THE DECISION NOT TO SEEK RESETTLEMENT IN [REDACTED] BECAUSE HE DOES NOT WANT TO HURT HIS FAMILY MEMBERS WHO LIVE IN LIBYA. INSTEAD, HE TOLD C/O THAT HE WANTED TO REMAIN IN MALTA, MARRY HIS MALTESE GIRLFRIEND AND START A RENTAL CAR BUSINESS AT WHICH TIME HE WOULD COOPERATE FULLY WITH [REDACTED] AGAINST LIBYA. IN RETURN FOR HIS COOPERATION, HE WANTS [REDACTED] TO HELP HIM UNDERGO SHAM SURGERY (AN INCISION LEAVING A SCAR WOULD SUFFICE) AND TO SUPPLY A FALSIFIED MEDICAL CERTIFICATE WHICH STATES THAT HE IS NOT CAPABLE OF PERFORMING NATIONAL MILITARY SERVICE. ALTHOUGH C/O STATED THAT THIS WAS A VERY UNUSUAL REQUEST, HE AGREED TO PASS IT ON TO WASHINGTON.

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2. C/O [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] EMPHASIZED THAT HE WAS MERELY POSING QUESTIONS PROVIDED BY WASHINGTON. GIAKA APPEARED SOMEWHAT NERVOUS WHEN DISCUSSING HIS PERSONAL SITUATION BUT BECAME RELAXED WHEN ANSWERING QUESTIONS ABOUT LIBYAN INTELLIGENCE MATTERS. AS A DISTANT RELATIVE OF KING IDRIS, HE EXPLAINED THAT HE HAS WANTED TO WORK AGAINST THE QADHAFI REGIME FOR MANY YEARS. [REDACTED]

3. AT THE END OF THE DISCUSSION GIAKA AGREED TO MEET C/O OUTSIDE OF [REDACTED] AND HE ACCEPTED A VERY SIMPLE RECONTACT PLAN. GIAKA STATED THAT HE WOULD PREFER TO DEAL ONLY WITH C/O [REDACTED] IN THE NEAR TERM, BUT AGREED ULTIMATELY TO MEET WITH AN ARABIC SPECIALIST. C/O ASSURED HIM OF THE CONFIDENTIALITY OF THE RELATIONSHIP AND SET UP A NEXT MEETING FOR 14 SEP [REDACTED]

4. [REDACTED] GIAKA IDENTIFIED SEVERAL LIBYAN INTELLIGENCE OFFICERS, SEVERAL LIBYAN INTEL COOPTEES, AND REVCOM MEMBERS IN MALTA. HE IS UNAWARE OF ANY LIBYAN-SPONSORED SURVEILLANCE ON [REDACTED] CITIZENS, BUT NOTED THAT THE COLLECTION OF ANY INFORMATION BY LIBYAN OPERATIVES WAS PROFESSIONALLY REGARDING. HE CLAIMS TO BE WELL ACQUAINTED WITH ESO OFFICER ABDALLAH ((KSANUSSI)) ON WHOM HE GAVE BONA FIDES INFORMATION. HE WAS FAMILIAR WITH SIX OF THE SEVEN NAMES PROVIDED [REDACTED] AND CONFIRMD THEIR INTEL AFFILIATION. HE DESCRIBED THE BASIC STRUCTURE OF HAYYIT AL JAMN AL JAMAHIRIYAH AND PROVIDED THE NAMES AND BASIC BIO DATA FOR SEVERAL ESO OFFICERS ASSIGNED ABROAD. FINALLY, HE IDENTIFIED THE TRAINING SITE USED BY LIBYAN SECURITY SERVICES TO TRAIN PROVISIONAL IRISH REPUBLICAN ARMY MEMBERS IN ADDITION TO GIVING DETAILS OF HIS OWN KGB TRAINING. DETAILS ON THESE AND OTHER TOPICS COVERED DURING THE DEBRIEFING ARE BEING REPORTED SEPARATELY.

5. [REDACTED]

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